

INFORMATION BULLETIN

JOB TRAINING PARTNERSHIP ACT

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TO: SERVICE DELIVERY AREA ADMINISTRATORS
PRIVATE INDUSTRY COUNCIL CHAIRPERSONS
JTPD PROGRAM OPERATORS
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JTPD STAFF

SUBJECT: YEAR-END JTA AVAILABILITY

The purpose of this information bulletin is to advise all entities of the availability to the Job Training Automation (JTA) system during the end of calendar year 1999.

To ensure all data are secure and reduce the possibility of Year 2000 (Y2K) issues, the JTA system will not be accessible on December 31, 1999, through January 2, 2000. Though the Job Training Partnership Division has been assured that the Employment Development Department and the Health and Welfare Data Center (HWDC) are Y2K compliant (refer to Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA) Information Bulletin B99-45), the system will be taken down during this time as a precautionary measure.

Once the JTA system has successfully completed all tests on January 2, 2000, it will be available for entry. If for any reason, due to internal or external sources, the Information Technology Branch believes that it is not feasible to bring up the JTA system by January 3, 2000, an explanatory message will appear when attempting to log on to the JTA system. A system status message can also be accessed through the JTA Help Desk voice mail at (916) 653-0202.

As a reminder, year-end cash requests must be made by 2 p.m. on December 29, 1999, (refer to JTPA Information Bulletin B99-49). For questions regarding the JTA system accessibility, please contact Annette Wolfgang, Manager, JTA Customer Support Unit, at (916) 654-9600.

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